FISCAL NOTE

HB 418 - SB 737

April 12, 2001

SUMMARY OF BILL: Assesses a penalty of \$100 per day against the Department of Human Services if the department fails to lift a lien issued for failure to pay child support more than 10 days after the lien has been satisfied.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures - Less Than \$100,000

The amount of increase in state expenditures depends on the number of occurrences in which the department fails to lift the lien within the 10-day limitation, which cannot be determined. Based on data submitted by the Department of Human Services, the number of liens held is not a significant amount; therefore, any penalties incurred by the department are estimated to be less than \$100,000 annually.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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